TERM 4 WEEK 3 2025

RAINBOW RAMBLER

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CALENDAR

Term 4

Week 4

Monday 3 November – 6pm P&C Meeting Tuesday 4 November – Kindergarten (2026) Orientation Morning Day 3 Friday 7 November – Round 10 PSSA

Week 5

Tuesday 11 November – Remembrance Day Friday 14 November – School Disco Friday 14 November – Round 11 PSSA

Week 6

Tuesday 18 November – K-2 South Cares Wellbeing Gala Day

Friday 21 November - Round 12 PSSA

Week 7

School Swim Scheme begins (Year 2 – 6)

Tuesday 25 November – Student leader posters due Thursday 27 November – BYOD Parent Information Session (Year 4)

Thursday 27 November – Student leader election Friday 28 November – Round 13 PSSA

Week 8

School Swim Scheme continues (Year 2 – 6) Monday 1 December – Playground Upgrade installation begins

Monday 1 December – P&C Meeting and AGM Tuesday 2 December – Music Showcase School Hall Friday 5 December – Round 14 PSSA

Week 9

Tuesday 9 December – Stage 1 Excursion (Taronga Zoo)

Thursday 11 December – Kindergarten Excursion (Wildlife World and Aquarium)

Thursday 11 December – Volunteer appreciation breakfast

What's Been Happening At Rainbow Street?

It has been another vibrant and positive week at Rainbow Street Public School. Our annual Multicultural Day was a special occasion, where the rich tapestry of cultures represented at our school was brought to life in the most beautiful way. It was wonderful to see our students dressed in traditional clothing and a spectacular array of colours, celebrating their heritage and learning from one another. Our senior students did a magnificent job with sharing stories and information with younger students about different places and cultures from around the world. This event not only fosters a deeper understanding but also strengthens the bonds that make our school community so strong and welcoming.







I would also like to extend my congratulations to our Year 6 students and their dedicated teachers for their outstanding achievements in the Film By The City competition. At the premiere event on George Street on Monday night, Rainbow Street Public School was honoured with certificates for our short films: *Breaking Records, Homework,* and *Sonny Radio*. The students' creativity, hard work, and teamwork have truly paid off, and we are immensely proud of your accomplishments.

Finally, as we approach World Teachers Day this Friday, I want to give a big shout out to all our fabulous educators. Their passion, dedication, and commitment to nurturing young minds make an important difference every day. Thank you for inspiring our students and for being such an important part of the Rainbow Street community. A big thank you to the school P&C for providing coffee and breakfast to our staff on Friday morning... always much appreciated!









What's Been Happening In Stage 2?

Multicultural Day

What a terrific day we had celebrating the rich cultural diversity of our school community. Students and staff proudly dressed in traditional clothing from their countries of heritage, filling the hubs with colour, stories and smiles.

Throughout the day, students visited classrooms to share stories in a range of languages spoken by their families. Students also took part in multicultural activities that helped them learn more about world traditions, foods and celebrations.

Thank you to everyone who contributed. Days like this remind us how lucky we are to learn from one another and belong to such an inclusive community.

The Stage 2 team.











Congratulations Taeho

Taeho recently participated in the MindQuest program at St George Girls High School. The course leader selected Taeho for a Certificate of Achievement for his excellent contribution to the program and for being an ambassador for our school.



Film by the City

Some of our Stage 3 students hit the red carpet on Monday night at the Film By the City premiere at Event Cinemas.

The short films were exceptional, and it was so rewarding to see our students' creativity, teamwork, and filmmaking talents showcased on the big screen. They should all be incredibly proud of their achievements!











League Tag

Juniors	vs Maroubra Jct	Loss
Seniors	vs Maroubra Jct	Loss

T-ball/Softball

T-ball	BYE	
Softball	BYE	

Year 5 Active Routes to School Project

Year 5 students have continued their participation in the Active Routes to School (ARTS) project, applying their geographical inquiry skills to identify the safest and most efficient routes for students to travel to school. This week, we were delighted to welcome visitors from Randwick Council, Transport for NSW, and local member Dr. Marjorie O'Neill, who joined our lessons and discussed how students' findings can support safer and more active travel within our community. We look forward to our next session, where students will review their proposed routes before launching them to the wider school community.







Under-16s social media age restriction legislation

From 10 December 2025, many social media platforms will be required to prevent Australians under 16 from creating or maintaining accounts on certain agerestricted services. The changes aim to protect children from pressures and risks they can be exposed to while logged in to social media accounts.

The eSafety Commissioner is leading the implementation of the law. They are responsible for identifying platforms and supporting the community with information and resources.

Under-16s will still be able to see publicly available social media content that doesn't require logging into an account. There are no penalties for young people who use age-restricted platforms or for their parents and carers as the responsibility is with the platforms.

We encourage you to access eSafety's resources and support for families on their website and register for one of the upcoming webinars for parents and carers.

https://www.esafety.gov.au/about-us/industry-regulation/social-media-age-restrictions/webinars





Student of the Week

Class	Student	Awarded for
KR	Elliot	Being a kind and considerate learner
KK	Eva	Her excellent efforts during independent writing tasks
KS	Selena	Always being ready to listen and focus on tasks
1A	Finn	His enthusiastic and independent skills using technology in reading groups
1M	Elle	Demonstrating research skills during independent and group tasks
15	Remy	His critical and creative thinking whilst designing his own map of a zoo
1/2H	Sophie	Playing an excellent rendition of Hot Cross Buns on the recorder
2H	Cassia	Writing a really descriptive sentence about a witch
2W	Demira	Showing intentional and meaningful decisions while planning a zoo
2/3C	Marley M	Working hard to improve her handwriting skills. Well done
3L	Dean	Showing motivation in literacy lessons

Class	Student	Awarded for
3T	Liam	Diligently editing his writing
3/4V	Rishabh	Working hard to improve his writing and produce high quality work
4E	Myla	Contributing positively in the classroom by sharing thoughtful ideas
4/51	Julia	Her confident and articulate presentation of her culture on Multicultural Day
5G	Georgina	Taking great pride in the presentation of her work throughout the year
5/6C	Angelo	Fantastic performance in the movie for the film festival
6M	Dante	Being a kind and supportive friend
SDV	Livia	Her contributions to number talks this week
SL	Candice	Writing her name independently
SB	Tommy	Insightful questioning during Multicultural Day

Learner Quality Badges

Collaboration	Harvey (2/3C), Harry (5/6C), Andrew (2H), Aiden (2H), William (1A), Arden (3L), Emilie (3L)
Confidence	Maia (2/3C) Cassius, Millie (2/3C) Alexander (2/3C), Juliet (2/3C), Emilie (3L)
Critical and Creative Thinking	Owen (2/3C) Ezra (2/3C), Lachlan (5/6C), Aiden (2H), Luca H (2W
Empathy	Malakai (SB)
Initiative	Marley B, Adam 2/3C, Sriharshith (5/6C) Daveed (4E), Lubaika (1S), Matty (1A), Dylan (1A), Angus (3L), Kiki (3L)
Motivation	Kirsty (2H), Tishrei (2H), Ula (2H), Aiden (2H) Florence (4E), Matty (1A), Jai (3L)
Perseverance	Frankie (2/3C), Ollie (2/3C), Marley (2H)















Rainbow Street Public School's Rainbow Raffle

This term, we will be running a'
rainbow' themed raffle. Each class will
be allocated a colour and we are asking
parents to donate anything
of that colour that we could put in a
hamper to raffle off. For example,
if the class colour is pink, parents could
donate some pink socks,
pink sweets or a pink pencil crayon. (Be as
creative as you can, but
please no alcohol or nut containing
products!)

Once all the donations have been made, we will raffle the hampers and give them out in early December- a perfect Christmas gift! (Information about purchasing raffle tickets to come shortly.)

Donations can be brought in and left at the Office anytime from Monday 3rd November 2025 (Week 4) until Friday 28th November 2025 (Week 7).

The raffle colours have been allocated as such:

> Kindy - Fink Year 1-Blue Year 2 - Purple Year 3 - Green

Year 4 - Vellage Coll Year 5 - Orange Year 6 - Red







P&C Rambler Update - Term 4 Week 3

This week we celebrated the wonderful teachers and staff at Rainbow Street Public School by hosting the 'Thank You breakfast'. I am sure you will all agree that they do a fantastic job and thank you to everyone who kindly donated.

Next Monday (3rd November) we will be holding the penultimate P&C meeting of the year. It will be taking place in person and will be held in the Kindy learning space from 6pm. It is a fantastic opportunity to get to know some of the other members of the school community and to see what events / fund raising we have going on. It is a busy term so I'm sure there will be a lot to discuss.

Following this, we will be holding our monthly second hand uniform sale. Please note however that it will take place on Tuesday, 4th November (at 8.30am under COLA), instead of our usual Wednesday to tie in with the Kindergarten orientation.

On Friday 14th November we will be hosting this year's school disco-

it is Hawaiian
themed so get your
floral shirts and leis
out now! There will
be a pop up stall on
Wednesday 12th
November at 8.30am
selling gold coin
items for your





children to purchase to help dress up their outfits too. (More information to come next week)

Last term, we had a fantastic group of volunteers who helped organise the library. Going forward, we still need help to keep on top of things, so if you think you could donate an hour or two a week to help arrange the books, return them to the shelves or cover brand new books, please let us know as we would really appreciate your help!

Finally, due to its huge success last year, we will be running the Rainbow Street Rainbow Raffle. Each class will be allocated a colour and we are asking parents to donate anything of that colour that we could put in a hamper to raffle off in time for Christmas. Donations can be left at the office now up until the 28th November (week 7). Please see the flyer for more information.

Have a wonderful weekend.



Amelie

Vice -President, Parents, and Citizens Association https://www.rainbowstpandc.org.au/



Community News

Disclaimer: Rainbow Street Public School, as a service to parents, will advertise community events which may be of interest. RSPS does not necessarily endorse or sponsor the events and accepts no responsibility for the management or organisation of these events.





